



PLACER COUNTY JUVENILE JUSTICE/ DELINQUENCY PREVENTION COMMISSION

Monthly Meeting Minutes

Thursday, October 18, 2012

Auburn Justice Center Community Room
2929 Richardson Drive, Auburn, CA 95603

CALL TO ORDER & WELCOME: 5:54 p.m. by Chair – Sam Stodolski

ROLL CALL – BY SIGN IN SHEET

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Diane Shinstock, Chris Reams, Monique Molina, Sam Stodolski

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT:

Jane Chapman-Ames, Greg Calac, Christina Miller, Sandena Bader, Bryan Urquidez

COUNTY STAFF & GUESTS

County Staff:

Debra Smith, Placer County Probation

Guests:

Nancy Wiseman-Atwater, John Richardson

1. Approval of minutes for September

Deferred due to lack of quorum

2. Public Comment:

None

3. Guest Speakers

None

4. Judge's Report

None

5. Probation Report

The Juvenile Division is participating in training of a new juvenile assessment and intervention system. The system is part risk assessment and part strength and needs assessment. It is a tool from the National Council on Crime and Delinquency (NCCD). The assessment is based on a one-on-one

interview with youth and focuses on the underlying cause of delinquent behavior and helps provide supervision and intervention strategies. The system is expected to be implemented spring 2013. CDCR developed a program called “Courage to Change,” an evidence based practice, for youth focusing on forward thinking. This program will be implemented in the JDF, YRC and will be utilized for field officers.

6. Juvenile Detention Facility Mentor Program

Commissioner Stodolski discussed recruiting efforts as the mentor program is in need of new mentors in order to keep the program running.

7. Community Relations

Commissioner Shinstock reported needing participation from the Committee in order to promote the community relations plan.

8. Juvenile Justice System Evaluations (Juvenile Court Surveys)

The committee is in the process of setting up a schedule with Judge Kearney’s clerk to begin evaluations of the juvenile court.

9. Professional Code of Conduct

Commissioner Stodolski reminded commissioners of meeting conduct and discussed the idea of incorporating the code of conduct into the commission bylaws. Commissioners also discussed attendance issues.

10. Executive Committee Report

Commissioner Shinstock addressed concern for a new secretary for the Executive Committee. The group reviewed the bylaws as it pertains to the nomination of officers.

11. New Business

Yolo County is providing training for commissions throughout the region on Saturday, November 3rd from 9-1 in Woodland.

Meeting adjourned at 6:52 p.m.